

REMARKS

Claims 62-67 and 88-98 are pending.

In accordance with The Examiner's request, Applicant hereby grants permission to cancel withdrawn claims 19-20.


Additionally, applicant submits herewith the appropriate Terminal Disclaimers.

Applicant requests that prosecution in this application be suspended until termination of the reexamination proceeding of U.S. Patent No. 5,885,158 (Torango, et al.). *See* M.P.E.P. § 2307.04.

The Examiner is encouraged to telephone the undersigned at (503) 222-3613 if it appears that an interview would be helpful in advancing the case.

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